Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 10 Aug 2020 until 23:59 on Tuesday 11 Aug 2020

Forecast Issued on Monday 10 Aug 2020 at 03:36

Confidence: High for the showery and thundery theme up until Wednesday, but lower confidence for the timing of the showers and thunderstorms.

Headline for Monday 10 Aug 2020: Heavy showers and thunderstorms interspersed by some sunny spells.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 10 Aug 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
High Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy rain showers	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm	Heavy rain showers	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
60%	60%	60%	60%	20%	20%

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Weather: A swathe of heavy showers and thunderstorms is expected to move north throughout the day, bringing some torrential downpours and with hail, gusty winds and frequent lightning possibl, more liekly in the west. Some warm and humid sunny spells are possible in between, more especially across the west of the Brecons late in the day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 40% at first, with occasionally broken cloud near 400m, more particularly across the north and east of the Brecons. Gradually improving to 100% by mid-morning as cloud lifts clear of the summits.

Visibility: Moderate to good at first, with views of middle distance hills appearing hazy, but improving to generally very good by mid-morning. Moderate at best in heavy showers and thunderstorms.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/13 NE	13/18 NE	10/14 NE	10/15 NE	7/10 N	9/15 NE	7/10 NE
300	6/12 E	7/14 NE	6/13 NE	5/11 N	4/8 NE	5/10 NE	4/8 NE
Valley	4/8 E	5/11 NE	5/12 NE	5/11 N	5/10 N	4/8 NE	2/6 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/15	16/15	19/18	20/19	20/20	18/17	18/17
300	16/16	18/18	20/21	22/23	22/23	18/19	17/18
Valley	16/17	19/20	21/22	23/24	22/24	19/20	17/18
Freezing Level*	3500m	3600m	3600m	3600m	3600m	3500m	3500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

The wind may become strong and gusty near any heavy and thundery showers, with gusts perhaps reaching 50mph and causing buffeting on exposed ridges and summits. Heavy downpours may cause some stream levels to rise quickly, with water running down gulleys. UV levels will be high in any direct sunshine, and sun protection is advised.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Mon 10 Aug 2020	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Tuesday 11 Aug 2020

Weather: Any thundery showers should clear during the early hours of Tuesday, but low cloud and valley fog may develop for a time towards dawn. Further scattered heavy, thundery showers will return soon after dawn on Tuesday, and may continue on an off through the rest of the day, although there will be some warm sunny periods in between.

Maximum wind: Variable 10-15mph but gusts to 40mph are possible in any thunderstorms.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 100% at first but falling to 40% during the early hours as broken cloud develops near 400m. Improving to 100% by mid-morning as cloud lifts clear of the summits.

Visibility: Moderate to good at first, with views of middle distance hills appearing hazy, and very poor in any valley fog around dawn. Improving to excellent by mid-morning with clear views of distant hills developing, but moderate at best in heavy showers and thunderstorms, with views across valleys and of neighbouring hills appearing faint.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 15 Celsius becoming Plus 25 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 21 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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